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## USER EDUCATIONAL, CULTURAL FACILITIES EXPAND

TEHLISI STATE U ADMITS ASPIRANTS -- Zarya Vostoka, No 106, 2 Jun 49

The Tbilisi State University imeni Stalin announces the admission of aspirants for the 1949 - 1950 school year in the following special fields: philosophy, logic, psychology, Russian language, English language and literature, German language and literature, French language and literature, Georgian language, Georgian literature, history of the peoples of the USSR, history of VEP(b), history of the countries of the East, history of Georgia, civil law, history and theory of state law, political economy, physical geography of foreign countries, botany, animal physiology, Darwinism, integral and differential equations, theoretical physics, and Iranian philology.

Persons under 40 with higher education are admitted as aspirants. Applicants must pass entrance examinations in the principles of Marxism-Leninism, a special branch of science, Russian language, and one foreign language. The knowledge of Georgian is compulsory.

Applications may be filed until 1 September. Entrance examinations will be held from 5 to 20 September. Address: Tbilisi, 1 Marra Street.

RR SCHOOL TO GRADUATE 130 IN 1949 -- Sovetskaya Belorussiya, No 107, 31 May 49

The Gomel' Technical School of Railroad Transport is one of the oldest secondary technical training institutions in Belorussia. It was founded in 1919 on the basis of a technical railroad school established in 1879.

Since World War II, the school has graduated 413 technicians. Nearly 130 young specialists will graduate in 1949.

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KOMSMOL'SK CONSTRUCTION TECH ADMITS STUDENTS -- Tikhookeanskaya Zvezda, No 109,  
11 May 49

The Komsomol'sk-on-Amur Construction Technical School announces admission of students to all courses for the 1949 - 1950 school year in the fields of industrial and civilian construction. The training period lasts 4 years. Admission requirements are similar to those of all USSR technical schools. Applications will be accepted from 1 June to 20 August and entrance examinations will begin on 10 August. The school year begins on 1 September. Those accepted will be released from work in enterprises and will be deferred from the army draft. Apply at the school, Prospekt imeni Lenin, Komsomol'sk.

KAZAKH EDUCATIONAL FACILITIES EXPAND -- Bol'shevik Altaya, No 65, 13 Apr 49

There are 1,000 new schools in Kazakhstan and 23 higher educational institutions, attended by 16,000 students. The Republic has its own Academy of Sciences and also an affiliate of All-Union Academy of Agricultural Sciences imeni V. I. Lenin. There are 86 doctors of sciences and professors and 257 candidates in sciences. The Republic has 36 theaters, 20 concert organizations, and nearly 20 art training institutions.

JEWISH AO INCREASES CULTURAL FACILITIES - Tikhookeanskaya Zvezda, No 107,  
8 May 49

Since 1934, the number of newspapers in the Jewish Autonomous Oblast has grown from two to six, and newspaper circulation has increased from 2,000 to 15,000. The supply of books in libraries has increased fivefold, the number of motion picture installations elevenfold, and the number of public radio reception systems has increased over sixteenfold. The number of school children has increased from 8,400 to over 30,000. The oblast has six specialized secondary schools and a music school.

PRIMORSKIY PRESS STATISTICS REPORTED -- Krasnoye Znamya, No 104, 5 May 49

More than 50 newspapers are published in Primorskiy Kray, together with many enterprise newspapers. Total circulation of all newspapers exceeds 200,000. Every rayon in the Kray has its own rayon newspaper. Newspapers are published for sailors of the Pacific Ocean Basin, workers of the Primorskiy Railroad System and many industrial enterprises, and for soldiers of the Primorskiy Military District and the Pacific Ocean Fleet. By decree of the TsK VKP(b), the size of the Voroshilov, Artem, and Suchan city newspapers will be increased in 1949. They will now be published in four pages instead of two. Circulation of the Kray newspaper Krasnoye Znamya has also increased.

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